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Date: March 2, 2004

Pamela S. Newton

Re: Patent Application for:
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 Serial No. 10/644,473
Attorney Docket No. P09594-US2

Dear Sir:

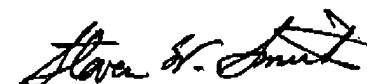
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- (1) Amendment Transmittal Letter (1 page); and
- (2) Preliminary Amendment No. 2 (13 pages).

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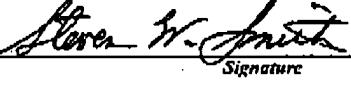
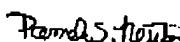
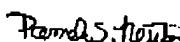
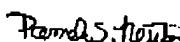
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Sincerely,



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Invention: COMMUNICATION DEVICE AND METHOD															
<u>TO THE ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:</u>															
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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT NO. 2

A first preliminary amendment, which was filed on December 17, 2003, canceled claims 1-56 from parent application no. 09/353,853 and added claims 57-85. However, the highest claim number in the parent application was claim 111. Therefore, the claims in this continuation application should start with claim 112. By this preliminary amendment, claims 1-111, including claims 57-85 added in the first preliminary amendment, are canceled, and new claims 112-153 are added.

Please amend the application as follows prior to the substantive examination thereof.

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